

SEMINOLE COUNTY COMMUNITY TRAFFIC SAFETY TEAM

August 25, 2009 Attendees:

NAME	AGENCY
Blinn, Michael	SCTE
Ritchey, Paula	SC DPS
Butler, Robin	SCTE
Cheng, Tung-Lung	Metroplan Orlando
Bernosky, Mike	SPD
Fogt-Boulnois, Christina	VHB, Inc
Gamble, Wayne	Citizen Volunteer
Banks, Thomas	LEL
Hickson Troy	LPD
Jarrell, Colleen	HNTB
Pleasants, Scott	CPD
Ikeguchi, Dave	FHP
Moncion, Tony	ASPD
Kelting, Pete	SCSO
Roark, James	SCPS
Smith, Shad	SC Engineering
Steward, Joe	FDOT
Walker, Dwayne	OPD
Ronnie Gregory	LMPD
Napier, Jeff	LMPD

Robin Butler called the August 25, 2009 meeting to order at 8:30 a. m. The minutes from our July 28, 2009 meeting were approved as submitted.

OLD BUSINESS:

RSA Committee advised that they have completed the review of the proposed enhanced pedestrian crossing on Fernwood Blvd. The LAP funds allocated were substantially less than the received bids for the proposed construction and there had been discussion that Lynx would be moving these stops in the near future. The committee researched this information and discovered that the current stop location is scheduled for relocation and that the LAP funds have been allocated elsewhere. The Fernwood Blvd. pedestrian enhancement project will go to the Seminole County BCC for their approval for not funding this project. It was also determined that since the initial study, the volume of pedestrian incidents along this corridor had drastically reduced with the various pedestrian enhancements that had been installed as a temporary fix until such time as the pedestrian enhancement project could be completed.

Highway lighting for the US 17-92 corridor from Lake Mary Blvd., north to Airport Blvd. as recommended by the RSA Committee, has been tentatively approved by FDOT. Coordination for maintenance of the lighting, with Seminole County CRA staff and the Seminole County BCC is currently underway. Thank you to the RSA committee for their diligence on this project request.

NEW BUSINESS:

There was discussion of the locations where red light running cameras have been installed by various municipalities. Each Agency was asked to send the location to Robin in an effort to monitor the crash data associated with each location.

There will be a RSA forum in conjunction with the Statewide CTST meeting September 21, 2009 in Orlando. Details at:

<http://www.dot.state.fl.us/safety/CTST/ctstcoalition.shtm>

PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS:

5 items were discussed:

- 2006-06 signal at US 17-92 @ Bush Blvd. / Tropical Trail
- 2009-11 speed limit signs along EB I-4 (Orange Co line to Maitland)

These two items will remain as posted due to lack of representation from FDOT able to respond.

- 2009-09 prohibition request for right turns at signalized intersection of CR 427/Ronald Reagan Blvd. @ Lake Mary Blvd.

This item will remain the same as the signal has not been installed as of this date.

- 2009-14 sight distance at Oxford Road @ Fielding Wood

This location was reviewed by SCTE and it was determined that there is sufficient sight distance for the posted speed limit.

- 2009-15 median plantings along CR 427 from SR 434 to Longwood/Lake Mary Road.

The City of Longwood is currently working with staff to ensure that the Design Standards for median plantings are being met.

FATALITIES TO DATE:

There have been no traffic fatalities in Seminole County since May 29, 2009 (knocking on wood). We are currently holding at 9 traffic fatalities in Seminole County. It was discussed that the enhanced Florida safety belt law along with our multitude of traffic safety enforcement and educational efforts had substantial bearing on this number.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Labor Day Operation hosted by LMPD will be held on Friday, September 4. The briefing will begin at 8:00 PM. Each Agency committed staff to the operation. Please contact Sgt. Ronnie Gregory for additional details and/or for a copy of the Ops Plan.

Child Passenger Safety Week and School Zone Safety Awareness Week will be the week of September 14 – 18, 2009. CPS events have been scheduled and announced – contact Robin for information regarding those dates and/or locations and activities for School Zone Safety Awareness Week will be conducted throughout the week in the perspective jurisdictions. If necessary, for information reference location of school zones within your jurisdiction – contact Robin and please report all activities on-line at:

http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/pw/CTST/enfactivity_form.asp

There will be a minimally staffed DUI operation in cooperation with UCF Police on McCulloch Road, Saturday, September 26. Each Agency is encouraged to participate and the contact for this operation is Lt. Pete Kelting.

32 hour CPS Class at Sylvan Lake Park October 20 – 23, 2009 – contact Robin Butler for additional details.

September 9, 2009 - Safe Kids meeting - DPS Building at 1:30 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 a.m. Our next meeting will be:

September 22, 2009

8:30 AM – 10:00 AM

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Lake Mary PD 2nd floor training room

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